

Mr. Yancey moved that the rules be waived for the consideration of resolutions;

Which motion was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and so ordered.

Mr. McKinne moved that the resolution offered by him providing for the appointment of a special committee on roads and highways be adopted;

Which motion was agreed to, and so ordered.

The Chair announced as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. McKinne, Coulter and Hammond.

By permission, Mr. Rogers introduced—

Senate Bill No. 59:

To be entitled an act for the relief of the estates of P. B. Brokaw, John McDougal, B. C. Lewis and William Bailey.

Mr. Rogers moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 59 be read by its title only;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and Senate Bill No. 59 was read first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. McKinne moved that the Senate adjourn until 10 o'clock Wednesday, April 15, 1891;

Which motion was agreed to, and the Senate adjourned until that time.

#### WEDNESDAY, April 15, 1891.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Borden, Bristol, Brett, Broome, Bryant, Calhoun, Coulter, Crosby, Farmer, Hammond, Kirk, Myers, Pirrong, Rogers, Rosborough, Smith of 30th, Smith of 31st, Summers, Swearingen, Thomas, Wadsworth, Wall, Wilkinson, Wolfe and Yancey—27.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Secretary proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding day.

Mr. Summers moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with;

Which motion was agreed to, and it was so ordered.

The Journal was corrected and approved.

Messrs. Johnson and Crosby were excused from attendance on account of indisposition.

The Journal of the 13th instant was approved as corrected.

The following committees were announced by the President:

#### *On Canals.*

SENATOR CROSBY, Chairman.

SENATORS BRYANT,  
SUMMERS,

WILKINSON,  
KING.

#### *On Health.*

SENATOR WOLFE, Chairman.

SENATORS WILKINSON,  
HARDEE,

CALHOUN,  
WADSWORTH.

#### *Also, Committee on Columbian Exposition.*

SENATOR ROGERS, Chairman.

SENATORS HARDEE,

DRAKE.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Borden:

Senate Bill No. 60:

To be entitled an act to establish a fixed rate of interest for the State of Florida;

Mr. Borden moved that the rules be waived, and that Senate Bill No. 60 be read first time by its title only;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and Senate Bill No. 60 was read first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Mr. Broome:

Senate Bill No. 61:

To be entitled an act to protect public bridges against logs.

Mr. Broome moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 61 be read by its title only;

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote and Senate Bill No. 61 was read first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Rogers:  
Senate Bill No. 62:

To be entitled an act for the levy of an immigration tax, and to provide for the collection, arrangement and display of the products and resources of the State of Florida at the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893.

Mr. Rogers moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 62 be read first time by its title only;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and Senate Bill No. 62 was read first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Columbian Exposition.

By Mr. Rosborough:  
Senate Bill No. 63:

To be entitled an act for the relief of the Gainesville Guards.

Mr. Rosborough moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 63 be read by its title only;

Which motion was agreed to, and the rules were waived and Senate Bill No. 63 was read by its title and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. McKinne (by permission):  
Senate Bill No. 64:

To be entitled an act in relation to apprenticing of certain children therein described, to punish certain offenses in connection therewith, and for other purposes;

Mr. McKinne moved that the rules be waived, and that Senate Bill No. 64 be read by its title only;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and Senate Bill No. 64 was read first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The following messages from the House of Representatives were read:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 11, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted concurrent resolution relative to appointing a joint committee to visit the Deaf and Dumb Asylum at St. Augustine, and report the condition, management and treatment of the inmates.

Also,

Concurrent resolution relative to revise, simplify, arrange and consolidate the Public Statutes of England and for other purposes.

Also,

Concurrent resolution to appoint a joint committee to examine the Bureau of Immigration,

And respectfully ask the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

WM. FORSYTH BYNUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Also,

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 13, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, House Bill No. 26:

To be entitled an act to supply deficiencies in the appropriations of 1889 and 1890.

Also,

Adopted House concurrent resolution relative to Indian war claims,

And respectfully ask the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

WM. FORSYTH BYNUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Also,

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 15, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—House Bill No. 10:

To be entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,

And respectfully ask the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

WM. FORSYTH BYNUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Baya moved that the rules be waived and that—  
House Bill No. 10 :

To be entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer  
and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,  
Be read first time by its title ;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and—

House Bill No. 10 :

To be entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer  
and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,  
Was read first time by its title

Mr. Baya moved that the rules be further waived and that—  
House Bill No. 10 :

To be entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer,  
and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,  
Be read a second time ;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and—

House Bill No. 10 :

To be entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer  
and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,  
Was read a second time.

Mr. Baya moved that the rules be further waived and that—  
House Bill No. 10 :

To be entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer  
and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,  
Be read third time ;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and—

House Bill No. 10 :

To be entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer  
and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,  
Was read third time and put upon its passage.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 10, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Baya, Borden, Bristol, Brett,  
Broome, Bryant, Farmer, Hammond, Hardee, Kirk, Myers,  
Pirrong, Rogers, Rosborough, Smith of 30th, Smith of 31st,  
Summers, Swearingen, Thomas, Wall, Wolfe and Yancey—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Baya moved that the rules be waived and that—  
House Bill No. 26 :

To be entitled an act to supply deficiencies in the appropria-  
tions for the years 1889 and 1890,  
Be read first time by its title ;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and House Bill  
No. 26 was read first time by its title.

Mr. Baya moved that the rules be further waived and that—  
House Bill No. 26 :

To be entitled an act to supply deficiencies in the appropria-  
tions for the years 1889 and 1890.  
Be read second time ;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and the bill was  
read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Coulter the courtesy of the Senate was  
extended to Hon. John F. Jackson, of Levy county, during  
his stay in the city.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Wolfe, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and  
Telegraphs, submitted the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 10, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate :*

SIR—Your Committee on Railroads and Telegraphs, to whom  
was referred—

Senate Bill No. 41 :

A bill to be entitled an act to protect telegrams and letters,  
Beg leave to report that they have had the same under con-  
sideration, and recommend the accompanying bill as a substi-  
tute therefor.

Very respectfully,

J. EMMET WOLFE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Also,

SENATE CHAMBER,  
TALLAHASSEE, April 14, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate :*

SIR—Your Committee on Railroads and Telegraphs, to whom  
was referred—

Senate Bill No. 52 :

A bill to continue the rights, privileges, powers, franchises  
and grants of the Carrabelle, Tallahassee and Georgia Rail-  
road Company, formerly the Augusta, Tallahassee and Gulf  
Railroad Company, and formerly the Thomasville, Tallahassee  
and Gulf Railroad Company, and to extend the time for the  
completion of the same,

Beg leave to report that they have had the same under con-

sideration, and recommend that it do pass, with the following amendment: Amend title by inserting after the word bill the words "to be entitled an act."

Very respectfully,

J. EMMET WOLFE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Baya, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, submitted the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 14, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15:  
Providing for a joint committee to visit and inspect the laboratory of the State Chemist,  
Beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,  
R. F. ROGERS,  
Chairman of Committee.

Also,

SENATE CHAMBER,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 14, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No 30:  
To be entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of the Farmers' County Alliances beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend the following amendments:

In line 1 of section 1, after the word "county" insert the words "and subordinate."

Also,

In line 1 of section 2, after the word "county" insert "and subordinate."  
We recommend that said bill do pass with the amendments.

Very respectfully,  
R. F. ROGERS,  
Chairman of Committee.

Also,

SENATE CHAMBER,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 14, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 20:

To be entitled an act to amend an act entitled "An act to protect the interests of farmers, planters and others," Chapter 3012, approved February 17, 1877,

Beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,  
R. F. ROGERS,  
Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Kirk, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 15, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your committee, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 5:

An act to empower the Governor, Treasurer and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 28:

An act to provide for the issue and return of executions upon judgments of courts of record,  
Beg to report them correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,  
BENJ. F. KIRK,  
Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Yancey, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, submitted the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 14, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 44:

An act to amend an act entitled an act to change the term of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida,

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass, with the following amendments, to-wit:

In the twentieth line of section 1, after the words "at the county," insert the word "site;" and in the second line of section 2 transpose the words "so amended," so as to make them read "amended so."

Very respectfully,  
D. H. YANCEY,  
Chairman of Committee.

Also,

SENATE CHAMBER, }  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 15, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 33:

To be entitled an act for the relief of William H. Bingham, Sheriff of and for the County of Levy,

Have had the same under consideration, and report it back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Claims.

Very respectfully,  
D. H. YANCEY,  
Chairman of Committee.

Also,

SENATE CHAMBER, }  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 15, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 29:

An act to regulate the proceedings upon forfeited undertakings of bail,

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,  
D. H. YANCEY,  
Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Bryant, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, submitted the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER, }  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 14, 1890. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Printing, to whom was referred—  
Senate Joint Resolution No. 14:

For the purpose of procuring a certain number of copies of the Daily Floridian containing an abstract of the proceedings of the Legislature for the use of members,

Beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,  
J. W. BRYANT,  
Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Borden moved that—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14:

For the purpose of procuring a certain number of copies of the Daily Floridian, containing an abstract of the proceedings of the Legislature for the use of members.

Be recommitted to the Committee on Public Printing;

Which was agreed to, and the resolution was ordered re-committed.

Mr. Yancey, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, submitted the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER, }  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 15, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 45:

To be entitled an act to prohibit the destruction and taking away of nests and eggs of birds in this State.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 46:

An act to fix the times of holding the terms of the Circuit Court in the Fourth Judicial Circuit,

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that they do pass.

Very respectfully,  
D. H. YANCEY,  
Chairman of Committee.

## CONSIDERATION OF BILLS ON SECOND READING.

## Senate Bill No. 4:

To be entitled an act to prohibit the sale or giving or furnishing or providing to minors of cigarettes, cigarette tobacco, snuff or cigars or any substitute therefor and to provide penalties for violation of the same.

Mr. Coulter moved that the bill lay upon the table subject to call;

Which was agreed to and the bill was ordered laid on the table accordingly.

## Senate Bill No. 3:

To be entitled an act to amend section 1 of Chapter 3132 of the Laws of Florida, entitled an act to amend section 1 of Chapter 3010 of the Laws of Florida entitled an act to amend section 2, Chapter 1628, Laws of Florida, relating to jurors, and to repeal Chapter 2049, Laws of Florida, approved February 20, 1879,

Together with the amendments offered by the committee, was read a second time.

Mr. Coulter moved that the bill, together with the amendments offered by the committee, be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary;

Which was agreed to and so ordered.

## Senate Bill No. 52:

To be entitled an act to continue the rights, privileges, powers, franchises and grants of the Carrabelle, Tallahassee and Georgia Railroad Company, formerly the Augusta, Tallahassee and Gulf Railroad Company, and formerly the Thomasville, Tallahassee and Gulf Railroad Company, and to extend the time for the completion of the same;

Was read a second time, together with the amendments offered by the committee.

Mr. Coulter moved that the committee amendment be adopted;

Which was agreed to, the amendment adopted and the bill as amended was ordered engrossed.

## Senate Joint Resolution No. 15:

Providing for the appointment of a joint committee to visit and examine the workings of the laboratory of the Agricultural College,

Was taken up for its second reading.

Pending which reading—

Mr. Myers moved that the title to Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 be amended to read "Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15;"

Which was agreed to, and the title of the resolution was ordered so changed.

Pending which—

Mr. Myers moved that the title of Senate Joint Resolution No. 9 be changed to read "Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9;"

Which was agreed to, and the change in title of the resolution was ordered made.

## CONSIDERATION OF BILLS ON SECOND READING.

## Senate Bill No. 30:

To be entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of Farmers' County Alliances,

Was read the second time in full, together with the amendments offered by the committee.

Mr. Coulter moved that the amendments offered by the committee be adopted;

Which was agreed to, and the amendments were declared adopted.

The bill with amendments, was ordered engrossed for its third reading.

## Senate Bill No. 20:

To be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to protect the interests of farmers, planters and others, Chapter 3012, approved February 17, 1877,

Was read the second time in full.

Mr. Yancey offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 20:

Amend by striking out section 1.

Pending which—

Mr. Baya moved that the bill remain upon its second reading, and that 50 copies of the bill be printed;

Which was agreed to and so ordered.

## Senate Bill No. 41:

To be entitled an act to protect telegrams and letters,

Was read a second time in full, together with the substitute offered by the committee for Senate Bill No. 41.

Pending which—

A message was received from the House of Representatives.

Mr. Wolfe moved that the substitute offered by the committee be adopted;

Which was agreed to and the substitute bill was adopted in lieu of the original bill.

Mr. Wolfe offered the following amendment to—  
Substitute for Senate Bill No. 41:

In line 4 of section 2, after the word "telegram" add "not directed to and intended for him;"

Mr. Wolfe moved the adoption of the amendment;

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted and the bill ordered engrossed for its third reading.

Senate Bill No. 33:

An act to be entitled an act for the relief of William H. Bigham, sheriff in and for the County of Levy,

Was read second time in full.

Mr. McKinne moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Claims, as recommended by the committee;

Which was agreed to and the bill was ordered so referred.

Senate Bill No. 44:

To be entitled an act to amend an act to change the terms of the Circuit Court of the several Judicial Circuits of the State of Florida,

Was read second time in full, together with the committee amendments.

Mr. Broome moved that the amendments offered by the committee be adopted;

Which was agreed to, and the amendments were adopted.

The bill with the amendments was ordered engrossed for its third reading.

Senate Bill No. 29:

To be entitled an act to regulate the proceedings upon forfeited undertakings of bail,

Was read second time in full.

Mr. Wolfe moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed;

Which was agreed to, and the bill was ordered indefinitely postponed.

Senate Bill No. 45:

To be entitled an act to prohibit the destruction and taking away of the nests and eggs of birds in this State,

Was read second time in full and ordered engrossed for its third reading.

Senate Bill No. 46:

To be entitled an act to fix the times of holding the terms of the Circuit Court in the Fourth Judicial Circuit,

Was read second time in full and ordered engrossed for its third reading.

Mr. Calhoun asked unanimous consent to bring back—

Senate Bill No. 45:

To be entitled an act to prohibit the destruction and taking away of the nests and eggs of birds in this State,

And to allow said bill to remain on second reading for further consideration;

Which request was granted by unanimous vote, and was so ordered.

## CONSIDERATION OF BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Senate Bill No. 5:

An act entitled an act to empower the Governor, Treasurer and Comptroller to borrow money for State purposes,

Was read third time.

Mr. Myers moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed;

Which was agreed to, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senate Bill No. 28:

An act to provide for the issue and return of executions upon judgments of courts of record,

Was read the third time.

And put upon its passage.

And upon passage of Senate Bill No. 28, the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Baya, Borden, Bristol, Broome, Bryant, Calhoun, Coulter, Drake, Hardee, King, McKinne, Myers, Pirrington, Rogers, Rosborough, Smith of 30th, Smith of 31st, Summers, Swearingen, Thomas, Wall, Wilkinson, Wolfe and Yancey—24.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 26:

To be entitled an act to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the years 1889 and 1890,

Was read the third time.

Mr. Yancey moved to indefinitely postpone House Bill No. 26, as the House had already passed Senate Bill No. 11, same subject matter;

Which was agreed to, and House Bill No. 26 was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Bryant moved that the Senate return to the consideration of messages from the House of Representatives;

Which was agreed to and the messages from the House were taken up.

The following message from the House was read :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
TALLAHASSEE, FLA., April 14, 1891. }

HON. J. B. BROWNE,

*President of the Senate:*

SIR—I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 1:

To be entitled an act to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the years 1889 and 1891.

Very respectfully,

WM. FORSYTH BYNUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 10:

Was read as follows and laid over under the rules:

*Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring,*

WHEREAS, There is due from the United States to the State of Florida a large sum of money on account of expenditures of the State in the suppression of Indian hostilities; and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has given this matter consideration at various times, without reimbursing the State in any particular for said expenditures; and

WHEREAS, There exists a deficit of \$185,000 in the revenue up to December 31, 1890, which the payment of the money so due the State would more than cover; and

WHEREAS, There are outstanding warrants for services rendered in the suppression of said hostilities which have not been paid, owing to the failure of the Government of the United States to reimburse the State; therefore be it

*Resolved,* That a joint committee of five—three from the House and two on the part of the Senate—be appointed to take into consideration and investigate the claim of the State for reimbursement of expenditures incurred in the suppression of Indian hostilities and also claims against the State.

*Resolved,* That such committee shall have power to send for persons and papers, shall report the origin, condition of the claim, and the action taken by the Congress, and of the Senators and Representatives in the Congress from this State, with reference thereto. Also such material facts as may have any bearing upon said claims, or the knowledge of which will tend to the covering into the treasury of the amount due the State.

Also,

House Joint Resolution relative to the appointment of joint committee and expenses of the same,

Was read and passed informally.

By permission, Mr. Summers introduced—

Senate Bill No. 65:

To be entitled an act to change the name of "Sand Fly Point," in the county of Duval, State of Florida.

Mr. Summers moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 65 be read first time by its title only;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and Senate Bill No. 65 was read first time by its title and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By permission, Mr. Summers introduced—

Senate Bill No. 66:

To be entitled an act regulating steam ferries, the trips of same and tolls charged.

Mr. Summers moved that the rules be waived, and that Senate Bill No. 66 be read first time by its title only;

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and Senate Bill No. 66 was read first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Mr. McKinne moved that the Senate do now go into executive session;

Which motion was agreed to and at 12:09 A. M. the Senate was cleared and the doors closed.

At 12:31 P. M. the doors were opened.

Mr. Wall moved that the Senate adjourn untill 10 o'clock Thursday morning, April 16, 1890;

Which motion was agreed to and the Senate adjourned until that hour.

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THURSDAY, April 16, 1891.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Borden, Bristol, Brett, Broome, Bryant, Calhoun, Coulter, Crosby, Drake, Hammond, Hardee, King, McKinne, Myers, Pirrong, Rogers, Rosborough, Smith of 30th, Smith of 31st, Summers, Swearingen, Thomas, Wadsworth, Wilkinson, Wolfe and Yancey—29.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.